

## **EXHIBIT A**

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR BALTIMORE COUNTY,  
MARYLAND

RANJITH KEERIKKATTIL

PLAINTIFF

VS.

CASE NO.: 03-C-12-012547

SOUTRY DE

RESPONDENT

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BEFORE:

The Honorable Kathleen Cox, presiding

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1 Q: Nothing specific. Okay. Fine.

2 So in, Ms. De made a complaint that I think like she said that I'd  
3 been harassing, or stalking, or however you contend it to be. What investigation  
4 did you do on the basis of her complaint?

5 A: On the basis of her complaint?

6 Q: Yes.

7 A: We interviewed her and then we sent a ban letter to you.

8 Q: That's all you did; right?

9 A: That's correct.

10 Q: So didn't you go and investigate like, if I, if I'm correct the library  
11 has surveillance recordings; right?

12 A: The library has what sir?

13 Q: Surveillance cameras like, CCTV cameras like.

14 A: I believe they have an internal CCTV system; correct.

15 Q: So, so this was reported on October 1<sup>st</sup> if I'm correct; right?

16 A: That's correct.

17 Q: Did you verify with the CCTV recordings in the library to ensure  
18 that what Ms. De claimed was accurate or not?

19 A: No.

20 Q: Okay. Well so typically when someone reports a crime like this do  
21 you check, like let's say a, a theft or a sexual assault at library, would you  
22 check the CCTV cameras?

23 A: CCT cameras are used in investigations; correct.

24 Q: Exactly. So my point is basically, and multiple times I raised this  
25 thing, even during the October 9<sup>th</sup> hearing, as well as on November 1<sup>st</sup>, but he

1 THE COURT: -- you can't just argue with him back and forth.

2 MR. KEERIKKATTIL: Yeah, of course.

3 THE COURT: You can ask questions, and present evidence, and  
4 then I decide.

5 MR. KEERIKKATTIL: Yeah, of course, yeah.

6 **BY MR. KEERIKKATTIL:**

7 Q: On the hearing on December 12, at, towards the end of the hearing  
8 you specifically said to the hearing board that you were initially looking for a  
9 six month suspension, but after hearing my testimony that you wanted an  
10 indefinite ban and a, a indefinite suspension from campus; do you disagree with  
11 that fact?

12 A: I do not disagree with that fact.

13 Q: Right. So, so basically that shows that you had an intent to ban me  
14 from campus from the beginning.

15 THE COURT: Sir, that's not a question.

16 MR. KEERIKKATTIL: Okay.

17 **BY MR. KEERIKKATTIL:**

18 Q: On the case reported here, this is actually a, an officer's police  
19 report. In this it specifically said that the latest time such an incident happened  
20 was on 29<sup>th</sup> of September at 3:00, 3:00 p.m.; do you agree with the fact?

21 A: I'd have to look at it sir.

22 MS. POWERS-HEAVEN: May I see that please?

23 A: Could you ask the question again sir?

24 Q: According to your own police report, or your officer's police  
25 report, it basically says that the last incident was on September 29<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 p.m.

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